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Ms. Segal is admitted to the Bar in New York and New Jersey and is a graduate of Rutgers University, 2000, and the Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center of Touro College, 2003.

Ms. Segal is the first Executive Director to the Suffolk County Board of Ethics for over 8 years, appointed post Ethics Reform Law. Prior to commencing the position, Ms. Segal was appointed as an Administrative Law Judge at the Office of Trials and Hearings of the Environmental Control Board of the City of New York and to the New York State Division of Alcoholic Beverage Control. In this capacity, she presided over 5000 administrative law hearings. Ms. Segal has extensive experience in administrative law regulations, adjudications, enforcement, and inter-agency initiatives at the State and Local levels. Prior to being a public sector attorney, Ms. Segal practiced as a medical malpractice defense litigator at Lewis Johns Avallone Aviles & Kaufman, LLP., Catalano Gallardo & Petropolous, LLP., and, during law school, was a Judicial Intern at the Offices of the District Administrative Judge, assigned to County of Suffolk Justice Hon. Thomas Whelan, a Law Clerk at Hill Wallack, LLP, was a legal intern in the criminal law clinic of Touro Law School at New York County Defenders Services, a research assistant to Touro Law Center Criminal Law Professor, Peter Davis, and a teaching assistant to Touro Law Center Contracts Professor, Sydney Kwestel.

Ms. Segal provides departmental and new employee lectures on the Suffolk County Ethics Laws. Ms. Segal is a member of the New York State Bar Association on the Committees of Children and Law, Families and the Law, Friends of the LGBTQ Community, the New York State Local and State Government Section, and is a Fellow of the philanthropic organization, the New York Bar Foundation, as well as a member of the Bar of the City of New York. In her current public sector attorney position with the Suffolk County Board of Ethics, she has conducted over 50 in person adult education panel seminars and individual lecturing, including attendance of over 300 public sector and elected official attorneys at the Suffolk County Ethics Laws CLE. Program. In total, the in person adult education course that Ms. Segal has conducted in panel with the Board's outside counsel and independent training consultants, over 1,500 public servants have attended in person. Ms. Segal also develops the public service announcement "Ethics by Posters" series, training educational materials, and developed the first online ethics training for the County of Suffolk. Additionally, Ms. Segal has drafted and facilitated over 100 legal advisory opinions being issued to Supervisory officials and public servants, facilitated the implementation of an in-person and by-mail adjudication tribunal for County Ethics Notices of Violations, and is the regulatory administrator of the County of Suffolk's Financial Disclosure Statements for over 500 public officials including sensitized categories of filers including County Elected Officials, Law Enforcement Agencies, Law Department, and the County of Suffolk District Attorney's office. Additionally, Ms. Segal facilitates County initiatives of increased transparency through County technology and website access and fulfilling the County initiatives of independence through local law requirements of an independent Board of Directors and Outside Counsel and through the FOIL laws.